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TO AMEMBASSY BOGOTA

INFO USMISSION OECD PARIS

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OECD

SUBJECT: COLOMBIAN OBSERVER STATUS AT OECD

REFERENCE: BOGOTA 5514

1. IN RESPONSE PARA 1A REFTTEL, IF COLOMBIANS SHOULD AGAIN RAISE QUESTION OF BEING GIVEN OBSERVER STATUS IN OECD IN ORDER PLAY MORE ACTIVE ROLE IN N/S DIALOGUE YOU SHOULD DRAW ON FOLLOWING IN REPLY.

2. WE WELCOME AN EXPRESSION OF INTEREST IN THE N/S DIALOGUE NOW UNDERWAY IN PARIS WHICH WE SEE AS MOVING TOWARD A GENUINE IMPROVEMENT IN RELATIONS BETWEEN THE DEVELOPING AND INDUSTRIALIZED STATES. HOWEVER, THE OECD IS A RESTRICTED FORUM IN WHICH THE INDUSTRIALIZED STATES CONSIDER ECONOMIC ISSUES OF COMMON INTEREST AND POSSIBLE APPROACHES TO THESE ISSUES. WE DO NOT BELIEVE THAT IT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE FOR COLOMBIA TO BE AN  
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OBSERVER AT THESE DISCUSSIONS. KISSINGER

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## Message Attributes

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